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## The Issue

Local politics are becoming very interesting of late. The issue in the fall campaign for County Judge and Magistrates will be—"Shall the \$40,000 road bonds be delivered and a levy made in subsequent years to pay off that debt, or, shall they be thrown overboard?" A very large majority of the voters are for throwing the bonds overboard if we can only get a few miles of improved dirt roads with this money, and it is the opinion of The Times that candidates for a Fiscal Court pledged to do this will be elected by a large majority.

The people of the county want roads, but they do not propose to pay two prices for them, and are determined not to do so if can be helped.

The people are willing to build their own roads, as is evidenced by them in providing for the improvement of the Hardwick's Creek road without any aid whatever from the county. The time has come when they will improve them all, now that they see it cannot be done by a bond issue. They, however, do not like to pay twice for the same thing—once going down into their pockets to build them; then, for 32 years thereafter, have to pay a bond tax to build only about fifteen miles of mud road.

## Resolutions of Respect

WHEREAS, It has pleased God to remove from our midst our friend and capable and valued secretary of our Commercial Club, Mr. Claude P. McIntosh, therefore be it RESOLVED:

First: That by the death of our secretary we are reminded that life is uncertain, that death is certain, and that we should all prepare to meet our God.

Second: That we bear testimony to splendid character, and to the faithful service rendered to the Club and to the community.

Third: That we submit to the Providence that has removed him from our midst, as to One who doeth all things well.

Fourth: That we commend his widow and his children to God who promises a special care to the fatherless and the widow.

Fifth: That these resolutions be recorded on our minutes, published in the local paper, and a copy sent to the bereaved family.

NEAL A. RANSON,  
JOHN E. BURGER,  
Committee.

## Wants to Lease Some Land

G. Gillispie, of St. Louis, Mo., was here yesterday, looking after the leasing of oil land. If acreage enough can be gotten in a bunch, anywhere, to justify, he will put down a test well. It is conclusive the former shallow drilling is of no value to test the territory.

## Died on Morris Creek.

Mrs. Raymond Neal died on Morris Creek, Saturday, March 24. Mrs. Neal had been married but one month. She was formerly a Miss Centers, daughter of John Centers. Burial in Stanton cemetery.

## To Order Road Machinery

The Board of Directors of the Clay City-Furnace Road met Friday and paid up their subscriptions and decided to purchase with this money a road grader, scrapers, road plow, picks, shovels, and other necessary tools with which to work, it being clearly visible that this machinery is absolutely necessary.

According to the terms of the subscription paper not more than 10 per cent of the total amount subscribed can be invested in machinery. The only thing that seems to be in the way of going ahead with the work is the lack of time the farmers have to come out with their teams. Crop season is upon us, and farmers just cannot afford to miss a day's plowing when it is not too wet, as it has been most of the time this spring.

A. T. Whitt has been elected Secretary and Treasurer of the directorate. He is now ready to issue to all who desire to pay a receipt for 10 per cent of their subscription.

## Patriotic Demonstrations

A number of young men and women formed a patriotic parade Sunday and marched over town carrying a U. S. flag, and drum leading. We are informed that as many as two of our fairest young ladies will seek an opportunity to serve as nurses in the camps. We have heard no number mentioned as to the probable number of young men who will join the ranks.

## Old Citizen Here

J. W. Westcott, of Lexington, was here Monday and Tuesday, loading out some lumber for his concern, which was purchased from Brodhead-Garrett Company. Charlie, a son of Mr. Westcott, has served one term in the U. S. navy, but is now a machinist in Lexington, and will not re-enlist. John, another son of Mr. Westcott, is in the army service and is stationed at San Francisco, California.

## Special Term the 18th.

The special term of Circuit Court called for this month will be held at Stanton next Wednesday, the 18th, instead of the 16th as previously reported in The Times. The special term of court is for the purpose of confirming the oil lease sales, advertised to be made Saturday by Master Commissioner, Luther Stephens.

## Takes Men to the Penitentiary

Sheriff H. T. Derickson last week took Walt Morrison and Robert Day to the Frankfort penitentiary. They were sent up at the March term, Powell Circuit Court, for the killing of Marion Hatton, on the North Fork near Bowen, Christmas. Morrison was given a five year sentence and Day two years.

## Owner Claims Property

An owner for the stray mare advertised in The Times last week was found. The gentleman said he found his property through the effects of the ad in the paper. It always pays to advertise.

## Powell gets Demonstrator

Mr. Harrison is the name of Powell's new Farm Demonstrator. He will come into our midst and teach farmers to do things the way they read about. Some are dubious about some of the methods they read of. The Demonstrator is here to demonstrate. He is at the command of all farmers; call upon him for advice, and we are sure he will readily respond. Too much credit for getting him into our midst cannot be given Fred R. Blackburn, our member of the State Board of Agriculture, through whose influence the agent was obtained without cost to the county or any of its people.

## Quick Court Action.

The editor was in Winchester Saturday and saw a number of soldiers who were said to be on duty as guards for the railroad bridges, etc. While in the city having so much time between trains, we went over to the court house to witness a session of Circuit Court. We saw Judge Shackelford, try three negroes for concealed deadly weapons, all of which were fined. They plead guilty. W. M. Abney, a lad of about seventeen summers, was tried three times on the charge of forgery and sent to the pen one year in each of the cases. He also plead guilty. This was the quickest work we ever witnessed, as we believe the six trials did not consume more than one hour of time.

## Called Back to Service

Senator J. H. Evans has been called from his duties as Senator at Frankfort into service of the U. S. army, where he has a position of Major. This leaves our Senatorial district without representation at this time.

Major Evans was called to the Mexican border last fall for service with Eastern Kentucky troops, and they had only been mustered out a few weeks when recalled.

## Engagement Announced.

Friends here have learned of the engagement of Miss Gertrude Rose, of Lexington, formerly of Clay City, to Wm. Crutcher, of Winchester. The marriage was to have been solemnized in Louisville yesterday.

Miss Gertrude is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Rose. Mr. Crutcher is a son of Mr. B. A. Crutcher, Commonwealth's Attorney.

## Mrs. Henry Dies Suddenly

Mrs. Pat Henry died very suddenly at their home at Heidelberg in Lee county, Monday. The remains were brought to the Lackey graveyard in Estill county for interment. Mrs. Henry was a Miss Lackey before marriage. She leaves no children.

## Rebuilding Pumping Station.

The railroad pumping station and coal shed, burned down in this city March 31st, is being rebuilt this week. The machinery has already been put to work and the housing is being rushed to completion.

## STANTON.

(By P. O. Derthick.)

Fred Blackburn was in Louisville last week on business.

Rev. J. C. Hanley left Monday morning to attend Presbytery at Dayton, Ohio.

Marion Atkinson returned Tuesday from a visit to his brother, Clarence, at New Washington, Ind.

Miss Minnie Conlee who is at the Crab Orchard Springs for her rheumatism is improving and is expected home this week.

Miss Elizabeth Zimmerman Morton who has visited here at Mrs. Margaret Vance's quite often, was married this week.

Its Grandpa and Grandma Crowe again. This time it is a fine boy that arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Crowe a few days ago.

A. J. Martin was in Lexington Monday of this week to consult his doctor again. Bro. Martin is improving in health for which we are all glad.

Mr. J. A. Shackelford, lawyer and merchant of Fincastle, was here Tuesday of this week looking after some property of his in the Patrick addition.

Come out to the prayer meeting at Christian Church on Wednesday nights and you will enjoy a good meeting. Everybody is welcome.

Mr. D. R. Clark was here the past week shaking hands with his many friends. He is well pleased with their new home in Henry county near Shelbyville.

Mr. Jesse Crowe has been nursing a pet boil on his finger for several days and it kept him off his wagon almost a week. It is some better now and he has resumed his wagon.

Charley Jackson arrived with his mother, Mrs. John Jackson, a few days ago, where she will spend the summer in her old home. She has been spending the winter with her son in Cincinnati, O.

We regret to know that John McKnight had to be taken to the State Hospital this week. He became violently insane quite suddenly. He leaves a wife and several children who need his help very much.

Since the news written two weeks ago John Hatton lost his home and much of its contents by fire. The fire started from the flue and as there was a stiff wind blowing, it was impossible to save the building.

Dr. Lemming had the misfortune to hang some underwear too near the stove pipe Tuesday morning and it took fire. Luckily the doctor saw the blaze in time to extinguish it before it burned down his buildings.

Richard Crowe came over from Berea and preached a fine Easter sermon Sunday. Mr. Harrison, the new farm demonstrator, will teach the men's Bible Class at Christian Church, beginning this coming Sunday. He will be

glad to welcome all the members of the class and help them to build up a fine class.

We are informed that there will be four new automobiles in Stanton this year, Marion Atkinson, Mrs. Kate Bohannon, Robert Blackburn and E. H. Fuller. When we get good roads all over the county, then it will be a pleasure to have one. With gasoline soaring sky high it takes a person with pretty good nerve to buy one now days.

The writer had decided not to write the news of Stanton any more for various reasons, but there has been such an insistent demand on the part of many readers that he has reluctantly consented to continue as correspondent till some better one can be found. The writer only consents to write on condition he be allowed to write on other matters that concerns the welfare of our county as well as the news of interest. He is well aware that he does not please some persons on some things but he will always strive to write the truth as he sees it. Should he ever write anything that is not true he will gladly apologize if you will call his attention to it. We shall be glad of your co-operation in giving news of interest each week so that it can be put in The Clay City Times. Here's hoping that this will be the best year yet of our beloved county paper.

Powell county has a new farm demonstrator who has come to Stanton to make his headquarters. His name is Howard H. Harrison and was formerly of Berea College. He is here to give help and aid to all the farmers of Powell county in the raising of crops and the improvement of their land. Of course some of these old foggy farmers will say that Mr. Harrison can't learn them anything about raising corn.

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## After Easter Weather

The old saying has it that we must have a flurry in the weather about Easter time. Now that we have had the flurry, may we dare hope that we will have improved weather conditions, and an opportune time for seeding crops in due season. We had a sharp freeze of the ground Sunday.

## Delivering Machines

A. T. Whitt returned yesterday from Cincinnati with two new Fords. This is the first delivery of the season, which promises to be a very successful one for the automobile business. Of course, the Fords always lead everywhere.

## Sells Mules at Profit

Roscoe Bowman sold a pair of nice mules to Mr. Patrick of Furnace, for \$140. Mr. Bowman recently bought these mules at less than \$400.

## Coughing at Night

is a hardship for elderly people as well as children. Foley's Honey and Tar stops it. Also prevents croup. Sold everywhere.

# THE TIMES.

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SUBSCRIPTION RATE,  
ONE DOLLAR PER YEAR.

THURSDAY, APR. 12, 1917.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Announcement fee, \$5.00 in advance.

### For County Judge.

We are authorized to announce  
**H. G. CRABTREE,**  
candidate for County Judge of Powell county, subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary, Aug. 4, 1917.

### For County Attorney.

We are authorized to announce  
**A. H. NORTON,**  
candidate for County Attorney of Powell county, subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary, Aug. 4, 1917.

### For County Clerk.

We are authorized to announce  
**CHAS. F. ROGERS,**  
candidate for County Clerk of Powell county, subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary, Aug. 4, 1917.

We are authorized to announce

**I. S. BOONE,**  
candidate for County Clerk of Powell county, subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary, Aug. 4, 1917.

### For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce  
**F. C. WILLS,**  
candidate for Sheriff of Powell county, subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary, Aug. 4, 1917.

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candidate for Sheriff of Powell county, subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary, Aug. 4, 1917.

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**CHAS. WELCH,**  
candidate for Sheriff of Powell county, subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary, Aug. 4, 1917.

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**ROBT. N. CONLEE,**  
candidate for Sheriff of Powell county, subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary, Aug. 4, 1917.

We are authorized to announce

**JAS. G. ROGERS,**  
candidate for Sheriff of Powell county, subject to the action of the Republicans in the primary, Aug. 4, 1917.

### For Assessor.

We are authorized to announce  
**G. A. CONLEE,**  
candidate for Assessor of Powell county, subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary, Aug. 4, 1917.

We are authorized to announce

**WM. J. MOUNTZ,**  
candidate for Assessor of Powell county, subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary, Aug. 4, 1917.

We are authorized to announce

**W. CLINTON ROSE,**  
candidate for Assessor of Powell county, subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary, Aug. 4, 1917.

We are authorized to announce

**JAMES W. WOOLERY,**  
candidate for Assessor of Powell county, subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary, Aug. 4, 1917.

### For Jailer.

We are authorized to announce  
**W. M. HOWELL,**  
candidate for Jailer of Powell county, subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary, Aug. 4, 1917.

### For Superintendent of Schools.

We are authorized to announce  
**BERT L. CROWE,**  
candidate for Superintendent of Schools of Powell county, subject to the action of the Republicans in the primary, Aug. 4, 1917.

We are authorized to announce

**MAUD BOWEN,**  
candidate for Superintendent of Schools of Powell county, subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary, Aug. 4, 1917.

We are authorized to announce

**GUY M. CROWE,**  
candidate for Superintendent of Schools of Powell county, subject to the action of the Republicans in the primary, Aug. 4, 1917.

One writer has appropriately said "What grafters need is insurance against exposure."

## THE MCGLONE BILL.

There seems to have developed in this district some opposition to the McGlone bill, which would make possible a tax of 1 1/2 per cent on the oil production of the State. In introducing this bill Mr. McGlone has done so, looking to the betterment of the people whom he represents.

The oil business is highly profitable. It is nothing unusual for oil stocks to yield 100 per cent profit per year, and sometimes a 1,000 per cent on the cost of development and operation. Thus the tax imposed upon them by the McGlone bill will not stop nor hinder any developments whatever, and if it does, the oil we now know to be here would later be produced by home people.

There was a time when our lands in Powell and Estill, the two counties represented by Mr. McGlone, were covered by vast forests. This timber is gone now and the counties are left in no better condition than they would have been had the timber never been removed. The removal of this vast natural resource has not made anything better for either county. The help it brought was only temporary. Some people grew rich in the timber business, but having done so, they promptly moved to adjacent counties where they had good roads and schools, which we did not have.

In like manner the oil of these two counties will be sold off and forever gone and, unless better forethought is used in its passing than was used in the passing of the timber, we will be in much poorer circumstances than we were in the beginning. Great fortunes will, of course, be made, but not retained. Why? Because we developed our oil lands and exhausted them, but failed to develop our duties, otherwise. Our roads for want of funds, will still be miserable; our schools will remain in the background, and our natural resources gone.

The purpose of the McGlone bill is to tax the oil production and provide a means for the two counties to build good roads while our natural resources are being exhausted. If this is done our own counties will be a more fit place to reside and our good people will stay at home, improve their farms and build up their towns. This is what the people want, and McGlone represents the people. Others may want something different to this, but proud we are that McGlone does not represent the others.

## WAR vs. WOMAN SUFFRAGE

The Lexington Herald has always been a strong advocate of both war and woman suffrage when, in fact, nothing is further apart than these two principles, as was evidenced when the time came for the Congress-woman of America to vote on the war measure, she pronounced: "I want to stand by my country, but I can't vote for war." The Herald, it seems, will have to drop one of its pet measures, eventually.

The Times regrets but one thing, and that is that war in all countries could only come by a majority vote of the people in which women were entitled to vote, in common with men. Under such a rule, war in any country would be an impossibility. For this reason The Times is ten times stronger than ever for woman suffrage.

This is not a knock at the present war, which our leaders tell

Greater and Better Sunday Schools for a Greater and Better Kentucky

## "Go-to-Sunday-School Day"

for all Kentucky is

**MAY 6, 1917**

One Million People will attend!

Come, let us go to Sunday School!

KENTUCKY SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

us is inevitable, with honor, but if war is what Gen. Sherman said it was, we need as little of it as possible. To have the least of it, we need woman suffrage and a referendum for war in all countries. The demand for war on Germany is most unanimous in this country, it seems, but it is not so in the other warring countries.

## TIMELY ADVICE.

Mr. F. B. Russell, of Louisville, who is developing and operating oil lands of his own at Furnace, writes The Times a very timely letter which we gladly give space to. We hope that all our farmer readers will give heed to these suggestions and double their efforts in growing all kinds of food products. Germany is now suffering more from the want of something to eat than from the deadly effects of the fire of the enemy. We, too, may be in a similar condition unless we grow big crops.

We may think when we pay 25 cents a pound for meat that it is high, and it is, but in Germany it is \$2.50 per pound, just ten times as much.

We must raise it, or possibly suffer.

Think of this often while it is yet time to plan for all kinds of crops, and do not forget your duty, both from a standpoint of humanity and of patriotism.

Much stress is laid on the inheritance of property as a lucky proposition. The inheritance of brains is far more lucky whether there is a dollar's worth of property with it or not. Nothing is so unfortunate as to inherit the property without the brains, and this often occurs.

A certain confusion is certain to creep into the mind of any American who regulates his opinions by the clippings from the German newspapers.

## The Reason Tobacco is High

Tobacco has a reasonable excuse for being high when the following facts of increase in its case are taken into consideration.

Cigarette sales in this country in January, 1917, amounted to 2,416,762,000, cigarettes, as compared with 1,657,145,000 for the same month a year ago. This is an increase of about fifty per cent and represents the largest gain by months in the history of the tobacco business in this country. Continuance for the whole year at this rate of gain would bring cigarette sales up to thirty-seven billion this year. Output last year was approximately 25,250,000,000, while the total sales ten years ago were about five billion a year.

Sales of smoking and chewing tobacco in January gained 16 1/2% over Jan. 1916. For the seven months ended 31st Jan. last, government receipts from tobacco manufacturers as internal revenue taxes amounted to \$58,489,234, an increase of approximately eight million dollars.

The Times does not publish the above to encourage the growth of tobacco this year in Powell county, but to show our readers why other counties will grow more of the weed this year, making it important that we grow more of what we need to eat. It will be scarce and high next year and one of the reasons for it will be because so much good land is cultivated in tobacco.

## CLEAR YOUR SKIN IN SPRING

Spring house cleaning means cleaning inside and outside. Dull, plainly skin is an aftermath of winter inactivity. Flush your intestines with a mild laxative and clean out the accumulated wastes, easy to take, they do not gripe. Dr. King's New Life Pills will clear your complexion and brighten your eye. Try Dr. King's New Life Pills tonight and throw off the sluggish winter shell. At drug-gists, 25c. adv

## Kill Flies and Save Lives.

Kill at once every fly you can find and burn his body.

Observers say that there are many reasons to believe there will be more flies this season than for a number of years.

The killing of just one fly now means that there will be millions less next summer.

Clean up your premises; see and insist that your neighbors do likewise.

Especially clean "out of way places," and every nook and cranny.

Flies will not go where there is nothing to eat, and their principle diet is filth.

The fly has no equal as a germ carrier, as many as five million germs have been found in and on the body of a single fly.

It is definitely known that the fly is the carrier of the germs of typhoid fever; it is widely believed that it is also the carrier of other diseases, including infantile paralysis.

The very presence of a fly is a signal and notification that a housekeeper is uncleanly and inefficient.

Do not wait until the insects begin to pester; anticipate the annoyance.

The farming and suburban districts provide ideal breeding places, from whence they migrate to every home inhabited by man.

Again we say "kill flies and save lives!"

—Printed by request of Merchants Association.

## Bad Cough? Feverish? Grippy?

You need Dr. King's New Discovery to stop that cold, the soothing balsam ingredients heal the irritated membranes, soothe the sore throat, the antiseptic qualities kill the germs and your cold is quickly relieved. Dr. King's New Discovery has for 48 years been the standard remedy for coughs and colds in thousands of homes. Get a bottle today and have it handy in your medicine chest for coughs, colds, croup, grippe and all bronchial affections. At your drug-gist, 50c. adv

## Commissioner's Sale.

### Powell Circuit Court

T. J. KIRK, Plaintiff,

versus

HUGH MERRIS, Defendant.

Notice of Sale in equity.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Powell Circuit Court, rendered at the March term, 1917, thereof in the above cause, the undersigned will on the 7 day of May, 1917, at 1 o'clock P. M., or thereafter, being court day, proceed to offer for sale at Public Auction to the highest bidder, on a credit of six months, at the Court House door, in Stanton, Ky., the property mentioned in the judgment, to-wit:

Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4, facing Second street and in block 7 of Clay City, Ky., and adjoining Vernon Hutchinson on east and being same lots sold to defendant by T. J. Kirk as agent for Belle Lowe, or sufficient thereof to produce \$78.00, so ordered to be made.

The purchaser will be required to give bond, with approved security, for the payment of the purchase money, to have the force and effect of a replevin bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale, according to law.

Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms. A lien will be retained on the land sold till all the purchase money is paid.

Bond payable to Luther Stephens, Master Commissioner.

LUTHER STEPHENS,  
Master Com'r Powell Circuit Court.

### For Good Barbering Try

**A. P. Johnson**

In the old stand, next to the Red River Hotel.

Shampooing and Scalp Treatment

## It Always Helps

says Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of Clifton Mills, Ky., in writing of her experience with Cardui, the woman's tonic. She says further: "Before I began to use Cardui, my back and head would hurt so bad, I thought the pain would kill me. I was hardly able to do any of my housework. After taking three bottles of Cardui, I began to feel like a new woman. I soon gained 35 pounds, and now, I do all my housework, as well as run a big water mill.

I wish every suffering woman would give

# CARDUI

## The Woman's Tonic

a trial. I still use Cardui when I feel a little bad, and it always does me good."

Headache, backache, side ache, nervousness, tired, worn-out feelings, etc., are sure signs of womanly trouble. Signs that you need Cardui, the woman's tonic. You cannot make a mistake in trying Cardui for your trouble. It has been helping weak, ailing women for more than fifty years.

## Get a Bottle Today!

### Notice of Commissioner's Sale.

*Powell Circuit Court*

John Kinser, Guardian for Orlando Meadows, Emma Meadows, Claud Meadows and Ruth Meadows vs. Orlando Meadows & Etc. Defendants.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Powell Circuit Court, rendered at the March Term, 1917, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House Door in Stanton, Powell county, Kentucky, to the highest bidder and the best bidder at public outcry, on Saturday, April 14th, 1917, between the hours of 10:30 a. m. and 2:00 p. m. the following described property: An oil and gas lease of all the oil and gas in and under a certain tract or parcel of land, situated in Powell county, Kentucky, on the waters of Red River, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

On the north by the lands of Belle West.  
On the east by the lands of E. M. Centers.  
On the south by the lands of Sid Friend.  
On the west by the lands of Albert Morton, and containing 100 acres more or less. The lease shall call for the entire tract.

The lease shall be for a period of five years from the date of the purchase thereof. The minimum royalty, one-eighth (1/8) of all the oil produced and marketed, same to be placed in tanks and pipe lines at the expense of the purchaser thereof for the benefit of and to the credit of the lessors. If gas be discovered in paying quantities, the purchaser shall pay to the lessors not less than \$100.00 each year for the product of each gas well while the same is sold off the premises. The purchaser shall complete one well within the period of six months or thereafter pay ——— rental, payable quarterly in advance, or forfeit the lease, and his failure to pay said rental shall operate as a forfeiture of the same.

The purchaser shall have the privilege of bringing upon and removing all necessary machinery, piping, all fixtures and every privilege whatever necessary for the development of said oil and gas. For a more definite description of the lease the purchaser may inspect the judgment of the Court herein.

If bonds be paid in any amount for the same lease, the purchaser may pay cash in hand for the same or he may execute a bond, payable to me as Master Commissioner for the amount thereof, upon a credit of three months with good and approved personal security, with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, to have the force

and effect of a replevin bond. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

LUTHER STEPHENS,

Master Com'r Powell Circuit Court.  
Jno. D. Atkinson & Son,  
Atty's for Plff.

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*Powell Circuit Court*

F. G. Powell, Guardian for E. Frank Harvey vs. E. Frank Harvey, Defendant.

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On the north by the lands of Forman Harvey.  
On the east by the lands of James B. Rogers.  
On the south by the lands of Bruce Rogers.  
On the west by the lands of B. C. Drake, and contains 50 acres, more or less.

The lease shall call for one undivided one-half interest in the above described land.

The lease shall be for a period of five years from the date of the purchase thereof. The minimum royalty one-eighth (1/8) of all the oil produced and marketed, same to be placed in tanks and pipe lines at the expense of the purchaser for the benefit and to the credit of the lessors. If gas be discovered in paying quantities the purchaser shall pay the lessors not less than \$100.00 each year for the product of each gas well while the same is sold off the premises. The purchaser shall complete one well within a period of six months or thereafter pay ——— rental, payable quarterly in advance, or forfeit the lease, and his failure to pay said rental shall operate as a forfeiture of the same.

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Commissioner, for the amount thereof, upon a credit of three months with good and approved security, with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, to have the force and effect of a replevin bond. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

LUTHER STEPHENS,

Master Com'r Powell Circuit Court.  
Jno. D. Atkinson & Son,  
Atty's for Plff.

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On the north by the lands of J. B. Rogers.  
On the east by the lands of J. A. Rogers.  
On the south by the lands of J. H. Huff.  
On the west by the lands of L. T. Rogers, and contains 50 acres, more or less.

The lease shall call for two undivided one-tenth interests in the above described land.

The lease shall be for a period of five years from the date of the purchase thereof. The minimum royalty, one-eighth (1/8) of all the oil produced and marketed, same to be placed in tanks and pipe lines at the expense of the purchaser for the benefit of and to the credit of the lessors. If gas be discovered in paying quantities, the purchaser shall pay to the lessors not less than \$100.00 each year for the product of each gas well while the same is sold off the premises. The purchaser shall complete one well within a period of six months or thereafter pay ——— rental, payable quarterly in advance, or forfeit the lease, and his failure to pay said rental shall operate as a forfeiture of the same.

The purchaser shall have the privilege of bringing upon and removing all necessary machinery, piping, all fixtures and every privilege whatever necessary for the development of the said oil and gas. For a more definite description of the lease the purchaser may examine the judgment of the Court herein.

If bonds be paid in any amount for the said lease, the purchaser may pay cash in hand for the same, or he may execute a bond payable to me as master commissioner, for the amount thereof, upon a credit of three months with good and approved security, with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, to have the force and effect of a replevin bond.

Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

LUTHER STEPHENS,

Master Com'r Powell Circuit Court.  
Jno. D. Atkinson & Son,  
Atty's for Plaintiffs.

### Notice of Commissioner's Sale.

*Powell Circuit Court*

Elijah Boyd, Guardian for Andrew Townsend, Roscoe Townsend and Russell Townsend vs. Andrew Townsend, . . . . . and Etc. Defendants.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Powell Circuit Court rendered at the March Term, 1917, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House Door in Stanton, Powell county, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public outcry on Saturday, April 14th, 1917, between the hours of ten a. m. and two p. m., the following described property, to-wit: An oil and gas lease of all the oil and gas in and under a certain tract

or parcel of land, situated in Powell county, Kentucky, on the waters of Red River, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

On the north by lands of Joe Mullens.  
On the east by the lands of John Wise.  
On the south by the lands of H. S. Rogers.

On the west by the lands of Renten Townsend, and containing 60 acres, more or less.

The lease shall call for the entire tract.

The lease shall be for a period of five years from the date of the purchase thereof. The minimum royalty one-eighth (1/8) of all the oil produced and marketed, same to be placed in tanks and pipe lines at the expense of said purchaser for the benefit and to the credit of the lessors. If gas be discovered in paying quantities the purchaser shall pay to the lessors not less than \$100.00 each year for the product of each gas well while the same is sold off the premises. The purchaser shall complete one well within a period of six months or thereafter pay ——— rental, payable quarterly in advance or forfeit the lease, and his failure to pay said rental shall operate as a forfeiture of the same.

The purchaser shall have the privilege of bringing upon and removing all necessary machinery, piping and all fixtures and every privilege whatever necessary for the development of the said oil and gas. For a more definite description of the lease, the purchaser may inspect the judgment of the Court herein.

If bonds be paid in any amount for the said lease, the purchaser may pay cash in hand for the same or he may execute a bond payable to me as master commissioner, for the amount thereof, upon a credit of three months with good and approved security, with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, to have the force and effect of a replevin bond. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

LUTHER STEPHENS,

Master Com'r Powell Circuit Court.  
Jno. D. Atkinson & Son,  
Atty's for Plff.

### Taken up Estray.

There came to my place March 18, one sorrel mare of good size but thin in order. She foaled a mule colt March 28 which died the same day. Owner can have same by proving property and paying all charges, including this advertisement.

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Elijah Boyd, Guardian for Andrew Townsend, Roscoe Townsend and Russell Townsend vs. Andrew Townsend, . . . . . and Etc. Defendants.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Powell Circuit Court rendered at the March Term, 1917, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House Door in Stanton, Powell county, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public outcry on Saturday, April 14th, 1917, between the hours of ten a. m. and two p. m., the following described property, to-wit: An oil and gas lease of all the oil and gas in and under a certain tract

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**Powell Circuit Court.**

Caswell P. Goff, et al., Plaintiffs,  
vs.  
Bennett C. Browning,  
et al., Defendants.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Luther Stephens, Master Commissioner of the Powell Circuit Court, pursuant to an order of said Court entered herein, will at the Court House Door in Stanton, Kentucky, on Saturday, the 14th day of April, 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M. or thereabouts, offer for lease to the highest and best bidder for the purpose of exploring and operating for oil, gas and gasoline, an undivided 11-2560 interest of Bennett C. Browning in the land hereinafter described, and will likewise at the same time offer for lease an undivided 1-64 interest of Isabella Goff and John Goff, Jr. in the same land, and will likewise at the same time offer for lease an undivided 1-64 interest of Eliza Goff, John E. Goff, Levi Goff, William Goff and Thomas Goff in the same land, and will likewise at the same time offer for lease an undivided 1-64 interest of Charles G. Downing, Margaret M. Downing, Mary H. Downing and Patsy P. Downing in the same land, all of said interests to be leased for the purpose of exploring and operating for oil, gas and gasoline on said land.

Said land consists of about 4200 acres and lies partly in Wolfe county, Kentucky, partly in Lee county, Kentucky, partly in Estill county, and partly in Powell county, Kentucky, and is commonly known as "The Miller and Goff land", the greater portion of said land lying in Powell county, and being particularly described in the judgment of the Powell Circuit Court, entered on the 28th day of March, 1917, in the action of Caswell P. Goff, Guardian, et al., vs. Bennett C. Browning, et al., to which judgment reference is made for a more particular description of said land.

The term of said lease shall be for one year from the date thereof and as much longer as oil, gas or gasoline is produced in paying quantities, and the lessee or lessees shall be required to commence the drilling of a well on said premises at once, and to drill thereon within one year from said date eight wells, which shall be drilled to the depth at which oil and gas is found in that particular territory, and if the lessee or lessees fail to drill said eight wells within one year from said date, the lease shall terminate and end at the end of said one year, but the lessee or lessees shall have the right to hold ten acres around every producing well as long as oil or gas or gasoline is produced in paying quantities. The lessee or lessees shall be required to pay in cash as a money consideration to Caswell P. Goff, as Guardian for Bennett C. Browning, not less than \$85.93, and to Caswell P. Goff as Guardian for Eliza Goff, John E. Goff, Levi Goff, William Goff and Thomas Goff, not less than \$312.50, and to John R. Downing as Guardian for Charles G. Downing, Margaret M. Downing, Mary H. Downing and Patsy P. Downing not less than \$312.49, and to Minnie G. H. as Guardian of Mary Goff, not less than \$171.92, and to Caswell P. Goff, as Guardian for Isabella Goff and John Goff, Jr., not less than \$312.50.

The lessee or lessees shall further be required to give to said Guardians respectively a royalty of not less than 1/8 part of the oil produced and saved from the interests of their respective wards in said land, said royalty interests to be delivered free of expense to the guardians' credit into tanks or pipe lines, and also a royalty of 1-4 of the gasoline manufactured less the cost of marketing same, and also 1-4 of the gas produced from gas wells on the respective interests of the wards of said guardians. The money consideration paid and the royalty that may be received by Caswell P. Goff as Guardian for Isabella Goff and John Goff, Jr., shall be subject to the life interest of John Goff, their father, therein; and the money consideration and the royalty paid to Caswell P. Goff as Guardian for

Eliza Goff, John E. Goff, Levi Goff, William Goff and Thomas Goff, shall be subject to his, the said Caswell P. Goff's, life interest therein; and the money consideration and the royalty paid to the said John R. Downing, as Guardian for Charles G. Downing, Margaret M. Downing, Mary H. Downing and Patsy P. Downing, shall be subject to the life interest of their mother, Patsy Goff Downing, therein.

This March 28th, 1917.

LUTHER STEPHENS,  
Master Commissioner Powell Circuit Court.

**Notice of  
Commissioner's Sale.**

**Powell Circuit Court**

Jesse Baker, Guardian, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
In Equity.  
Leona Baker, &c., Defendants.

By virtue of judgment and order of sale in the Powell Circuit Court, rendered at the March Term, 1917, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House Door in Stanton, Powell county, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public outcry on 14th, April, 1917, between the hours of ten a. m. and two p. m., the following described property, an oil and gas lease of all the oil and gas in and under a certain tract or parcel of land situated on the greater part thereof in Powell county, and part in Estill county, Kentucky, on the waters of Red River and bounded and described as follows:

Bounded on the north by the lands of C. D. Rogers, J. D. Hoff, Whit, Goff and A. M. Le Fanu.

On the east by the lands of Coleman Hall, and

On the south by the lands of Jo. Mullens, Geo. Mullens, Tray Oaks and Wm. Rice,

On the west by the lands of Jesse Willis and C. D. Rogers,

And containing 270 acres, more or less.

And the interests therein offered for leasing are the one fourth interest, and viad, of Leona Baker and the undivided one fourth interest of Elijah Baker; being not less than one-sixth undivided interest each.

The lease shall be for a period of five years from the date thereof, and so long thereafter as oil or gas is produced in paying quantities. There shall be a minimum royalty of one eighth, for the whole interest in said land, of all produced and saved from the premises, same to be placed in tanks or pipe lines free of charge to the credit of the land owners, lessors.

If gas be discovered in paying quantities the purchaser shall pay to the lessors, at the rate for the whole interest in said land, not less than \$100.00 each year for the product of each gas well while the same is sold off the premises.

The purchaser shall complete a well within six months from the date of said lease or thereafter pay \$270.00 annual rental, payable quarterly in advance or forfeit the lease, and failure to pay said rental shall operate as a forfeiture of the same.

forfeiture of the same lease.

The purchaser shall have the privilege of bringing upon and removing all necessary machinery, piping and materials and every privilege, whatever necessary, for the proper development of said lease, including the free use of sufficient water, oil and gas to run all machinery for drilling and operating the wells.

If bonus is paid the same shall be in cash at the time of executing the lease.

LUTHER STEPHENS,  
Master Commissioner  
Powell Circuit Court.

**Notice of  
Commissioner's Sale.**

**Powell Circuit Court**

John Luedin, and etc., Plaintiffs,  
vs.  
Nora Amburgey and Eliza Amburgey, Defendants.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Powell Circuit Court, rendered at the March Term, 1917, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House Door in Stanton, Powell county, Kentucky, to the highest bidder and the best bidder at public outcry, on Saturday, April 14th, 1917, between the hours of 10:00 a. m. and 2:00 p. m., the following described property: An oil and gas lease of all the oil and gas in and under a certain tract or parcel of land, situated in Powell county, Kentucky, on the waters of Red River, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

On the north by the lands of Thomas Hall,

On the east by the lands of Francis Gilbert and Miller and Goff heirs.

On the south by the lands of Grant Schumaker and Miller and Goff heirs.

On the west by the lands of Weed Townsend and Grant Schumaker,

And contains 100 acres, more or less.

The lease shall be for 2 undivided 1-10 interests in the above described land.

The lease shall be for a period of five years from the date of the purchase thereof. The minimum royalty, one-eighth (1/8) of all the oil produced and marketed, same to be placed in tanks and pipe lines at the expense of the purchaser thereof for the benefit of and to the credit of the lessors. If gas be discovered in paying quantities, the purchaser shall pay to the lessors not less than \$100.00 each year for the product of each gas well while the same is sold off the premises. The purchaser shall complete one well within the period of six months or thereafter pay ——— rental, payable quarterly in advance, or forfeit the lease, and his failure to pay said rental shall operate as a forfeiture of the same.

The purchaser shall have the privilege of bringing upon and removing all necessary machinery, piping, all fixtures and every privilege whatever necessary for the development of said oil and gas. For a more definite description of the lease the purchaser may inspect the judgment of the Court herein.

If bonus be paid in any amount for the same lease, the purchaser may pay cash in hand for the same or he may execute a bond payable to me as Master Commissioner for the amount thereof, upon a credit of three months.

with good and approved personal security, with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, to have the force and effect of a replevin bond.

Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

LUTHER STEPHENS,

Master Com'r Powell Circuit Court  
Jno. D. Atkinson & Son,  
Atty's for Piff.

**NOTICE OF  
Commissioner's Sale.**

**Powell Circuit Court.**

T. G. Meadows, Guardian for  
W. H. Meadows,  
Rosecoe Meadows,  
Mandy Meadows and  
Homer G. Meadows, Plaintiffs,  
vs.

W. H. Meadows & Etc., Defendants.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Powell Circuit Court, rendered at the March Term, 1917, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House Door in Stanton, Powell county, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder at public outcry, on Saturday, April 14th 1917, beginning at 10:00 A. M. the following described property, oil and gas lease of all the oil and gas in and under a certain tract or parcel of land, situated in Powell county, Kentucky, on the waters of Red River, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

On the north by the lands of Arthur Pickett.

On the east by the lands of Hilbert Powell

On the south by the lands of James Rogers.

On the west by the lands of J. B. Rogers, and containing 100 acres, more or less.

The lease shall be for four undivided 1-5 interests in the above described lands.

The lease shall be for a period of five years from the date of the purchase thereof. The minimum royalty, one-eighth (1/8) of all the oil produced and marketed, same to be placed in tanks and pipe lines at the expense of the purchaser for the benefit of and to the credit of the lessors. If gas be discovered in paying quantities, the purchaser shall pay to the lessors not less than \$100.00 each year for the product of each gas well while the same is sold off the premises. The purchaser shall complete one well within a period of six months or thereafter pay ——— rental, payable quarterly in advance, or forfeit the lease, and his failure to pay said rental shall operate as a forfeiture of the same.

The purchaser shall have the privilege of bringing upon and removing all necessary machinery, piping, all fixtures and every privilege whatever necessary for the development of the said oil and gas. For a more definite description of the lease the purchaser may inspect the judgment of the Court herein.

If bonus be paid in any amount for the said lease, the purchaser may pay cash in hand for the same, or he may execute a bond payable to me as Master Commissioner, for the amount thereof, upon a credit of three months with good and approved personal security, with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, to have the force and effect of a replevin bond.

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LUTHER STEPHENS,

Master Com'r Powell Circuit Court,  
Jno. D. Atkinson & Son,  
Atty's for Piff.

**Commissioner's Sale.**

**Powell Circuit Court**

Belle Campbell, Guardian of  
Courtney Campbell, etc., Plaintiff,  
vs.

Courtney Campbell, Bertie Campbell, Myrtle Campbell, Leonard Campbell and Hazel Campbell, Defendants.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Powell Circuit Court rendered at the March Term, 1917, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House Door in Stanton, Powell county, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public outcry on Saturday, April 14th, 1917, between the hours of ten a. m. and two p. m., the following described property, to-wit: An oil and gas lease of all the oil and gas in and under a certain tract or parcel of land, situated in Powell county, Kentucky, on the waters of Red River, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

On the north by the land of Elijah Baker and Jno. Kiser.

On the east by the land of Jno. Astley and Brack Baker.

On the south by the land of Jno. Asdeley.

On the west by the land of Tom Hall, containing 100 acres, more or less.

The lease shall be for a period of five years from the date of the purchase thereof. The minimum royalty one-eighth (1/8) of all the oil produced and marketed, same to be placed in tanks and pipe lines at the expense of said purchaser for the benefit and to the credit of the lessors. If gas be discovered in paying quantities the purchaser shall pay to the lessors not less than \$100.00 each year for the product of each gas well while the same is sold off the premises. The purchaser shall complete one well within a period of six months or thereafter pay ——— rental, payable quarterly in advance, or forfeit the lease, and his failure to pay said rental shall operate as a forfeiture of the same.

The purchaser shall have the privilege of bringing upon and removing all necessary machinery, piping and all fixtures and every privilege, whatever necessary for the development of the said oil and gas. For a more definite description of the lease, the purchaser may inspect the judgment of the Court herein.

If bonus be paid in any amount for the said lease, the purchaser may pay cash in hand for the same or he may execute a bond payable to me as Master Commissioner, for the amount thereof, upon a credit of three months with good and approved personal security, with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, to have the force and effect of a replevin bond. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

LUTHER STEPHENS,  
Master Commissioner.

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On the east by the land of Jno. Astley and Brack Baker.

On the south by the land of Jno. Asdeley.

On the west by the land of Tom Hall, containing 100 acres, more or less.

The lease shall be for a period of five years from the date of the purchase thereof. The minimum royalty one-eighth (1/8) of all the oil produced and marketed, same to be placed in tanks and pipe lines at the expense of said purchaser for the benefit and to the credit of the lessors. If gas be discovered in paying quantities the purchaser shall pay to the lessors not less than \$100.00 each year for the product of each gas well while the same is sold off the premises. The purchaser shall complete one well within a period of six months or thereafter pay ——— rental, payable quarterly in advance, or forfeit the lease, and his failure to pay said rental shall operate as a forfeiture of the same.

The purchaser shall have the privilege of bringing upon and removing all necessary machinery, piping and all fixtures and every privilege, whatever necessary for the development of the said oil and gas. For a more definite description of the terms of the lease, the purchaser may inspect the judgment of the Court herein.

If bonus be paid in any amount for the said lease, the purchaser may pay cash in hand for the same or he may execute a bond payable to me as Master Commissioner, for the amount thereof, upon a credit of three months with good and approved personal security, with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, to have the force and effect of a replevin bond. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

LUTHER STEPHENS,  
Master Commissioner.

**Commissioner's Sale.**

**Powell Circuit Court**

James Mullens, Guardian of  
Bradley Mullens, Plaintiff,  
vs.

Bradley Mullens, Defendant.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Powell Circuit Court, rendered at the March Term, 1917, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House Door in Stanton, Powell county, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public outcry on Saturday, April 14th, 1917, between the hours of ten a. m. and two p. m., the following described property, to-wit: An oil and gas lease of all the oil and gas in and under a certain tract or parcel of land, situated in Powell county, Kentucky, on the waters of Red River, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

On the north by lands of Mitchell Neel,

On the east by lands of James Mays,

On the south by lands of Belvin Starns.

On the west by lands of James Mullens, containing 100 acres.

The lease shall be for a period of five years from the date of the purchase thereof. The minimum royalty one-eighth (1/8) of all the oil produced and marketed, same to be placed in tanks and pipe lines at the expense of said purchaser for the benefit and to the credit of the lessors. If gas be discovered in paying quantities the purchaser shall pay to the lessors not less than \$100.00 each year for the product of each gas well while the same is sold off the premises. The purchaser shall complete one well within a period of six months or thereafter pay ——— rental, payable quarterly in advance, or forfeit the lease, and his failure to pay said rental shall operate as a forfeiture of the same.

The purchaser shall have the privilege of bringing upon and removing all necessary machinery, piping and all fixtures and every privilege, whatever necessary for the development of the said oil and gas. For a more definite description of the lease, the purchaser may inspect the judgment of the Court herein.

If bonus be paid in any amount for the said lease, the purchaser may pay cash in hand for the same or he may execute a bond payable to me as Master Commissioner, for the amount thereof, upon a credit of three months with good and approved personal security, with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, to have the force and effect of a replevin bond. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

LUTHER STEPHENS,  
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## SPOUT SPRING

B. H. Barnett and Asa Snowden went down to Winchester Saturday.

John T. Wright, of Kiddville, was here Tuesday and bought a nice cow and calf from Wm. Patrick for \$62.50.

George B. Williams, the Irvine oil magnate, has purchased the splendid farm of J. T. Wright in Estill near the mouth of Lullbegrud creek at a private price.

We have two huxster wagons hauling country produce from here each week. They paid 25 cents a dozen for eggs this week which is unquestionably the highest price ever paid for eggs in this community during the month of April. Other produce is equally as high.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Todd have taken the infant daughter of Mrs. Henry Flinchum, deceased to raise. This is a most worthy charitable act on the part of these good people who unfortunately have not been able to raise any children of their own.

Jordan Barnett has received his second Holstein heifer calf from Northern Illinois. Mr. Barnett contemplates building up a herd of dairy cows and desires to test the merits of the Holsteins. Others here are becoming interested in the large milk producers.

Barnett Bros. have completed their job of sawing Carter Reynolds' timber near town and moved their mill to W. F. Barnett's place where they will saw out the large boundary of oak timber on this farm. Mr. Reynolds had upwards of sixty thousand feet of lumber, mostly pine.

Clyde Townsend was in Winchester Saturday to confer with his attorney in regard to a suit instituted by Mr. Townsend against the Le Roy Adams Oil Company for alleged damages sustained while operating one of the company's oil rigs in which it will be remembered that Mr. Townsend lost a hand. He seeks \$10,000 in damages.

## NADA.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Scott, a son.

Bob Dennis was in Stanton on business, Saturday.

We hope to have better weather, as Easter has passed.

C. H. Helms spent Easter with his wife at Winchester.

Mrs. G. W. Buckhannon is visiting her parents at Carlisle, Ky.

The mill is sawing again after a shut-down of few days on account of scarcity of men.

Miss Mila Knox entertained a

number of young folks from Stanton Friday night and Saturday.

Mrs. Victoria Olson has returned home, after spending a few days, with her parents at Friendsville, Tenn.

Thomas Townsend is off on furlough from the army to spend a month with home folks. He has been stationed at Bracketsville, Texas.

Mrs. Randall Harter gave an egg hunt and party to the Sunday School, at her home Saturday afternoon, which was greatly enjoyed by the children, and older folks as well.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Powell and little son, Allen Russell, were in Lexington Wednesday to consult Dr. Bullock in regard to Mrs. Powell's health. She is now getting along nicely.

## An Interesting Letter.

Furnace, Ky., April 9, 1917.  
Mr. J. E. Bargher, Editor  
Clay City Times,  
Clay City, Ky.

Dear Sir:

Let me suggest that you devote some of your space and energetic foresight to urging the people to increase their output of farm products this year, especially the people of Estill and Powell counties. There has never before been a time when demand and prices made farming so profitable, nor a time when the country was so much in need. The war will increase the demand and every community should try to provide for its own supply and not depend on other sections for material they can themselves produce. This would keep the money at home and at the same time enable the owners to improve the farms and make the the community more substantial and independent of outside disturbances, and save to the consumers the immense cost for transportation from other farming countries and the usual middleman's profit which is often a large per cent of the first cost.

There is a large influx of people in your section on account of oil development. They must be fed; they are liberal spenders, and at present the money for what they consume goes away. Grain and hay for stock, and meats and vegetables will find an easy market throughout the present year. People of Estill and Powell counties—land owners—can easily produce this material and more. Every man with an acre of ground should be urged to cultivate it; every man with ten acres should produce his own meat and more to sell. Apparent high wages offered for labor at public works should not induce a man with even a small farm to neglect it. From now until July he can earn more with the plow than at the best daily wage he can get.

The merchants should be urged to keep an ample supply of the best grade of garden seeds, and while seed potatoes are unreasonably high, they should be secured and planted. Many farmers will think of it and increase their output to an extent, but if urged they will do more. The high prices obtaining for canned goods should prompt every housekeeper to put up his own products and in good quantities. If more than his family requires it will sell at a profit. There is and will be urgent demand for everything edible, and every available foot of ground should be utilized.

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Yours truly,  
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Morgan's raiders, loved and honored by every man in the South and feared throughout the North in the days of '61, are still remembered by their daring raids into the very heart of the North.

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CAPT. MASON B. LUCAS.

name of "Morgan's Raiders." They gave the flower of their youth and strength to the cause dear to the South, and those of them that are left are still remembered and loved in the South and honored in the North.

#### Captain Lucas Popular.

Among these is Captain Mason B. Lucas, who is known throughout Franklin county as "Uncle Mace." He is now finishing his second term as County Jailor, and there is no more widely known or popular citizen in all Frankfort or Franklin county.

During the war he was Morgan's right-hand man, and his friends love to call him "Morgan's Old Horse Thief," as he was always given command of foraging parties when they had got past the Union lines and were in Northern territory.

"Uncle Mace" is now 73 years old and not long ago he felt that he was getting into the class of old men. But he feels fine again now and says he believes he can straddle his horse from the ground and make as hard a ride as he could in the days of '61.

In telling the story of how he got back his health he said:

"Some time ago my stomach went back on me, and I felt heavy and lousy after eating. I got so I couldn't sleep well at night, and began to get a little nervous. My appetite wasn't what it used to be either. I didn't seem to ever get hungry. I got worried and decided to try Tanlac.

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#### CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR

Sunday Evening, April 15th, 1917.

Topic: The Lord's Day the Best Day.

Reading: Neh. 13:15-22.

Lender: Mrs. Lena Waldron.

Juniors.

Topic: The Work of Our Hands.

Reading: Psalms 90:17.

Advertise in The Times.

### Local Brevities

Pat Henry of Heidelberg is in the city.

Roscoe Bowman is spending a few days with friends and relatives up in Owsley county.

Elder Paul Derthick, our valued Stanton correspondent, is back on the job this week to the delight of all our readers.

Mesdames Thomas Stokely, Green Stephens and Charlie Flinchum spent Saturday with their sister, Mrs. Lizzie Martin at Winchester.

We have had several Spring like days this week and as a consequence many "taters" have been put into the ground and much other early garden stuff planted.

As a practical measure of preparedness the disease carrying house fly must be eliminated. American military records show that it causes more deaths than the enemy.

Howard H. Harrison, the new County Demonstrator, was down to see us this morning. He impressed us as being a very capable young man, and one very much interested in his work.

Master Commissioner, Luther Stephens, was down from Stanton Tuesday, advertising a house and lot in this city at Commissioner's sale, at Stanton, May 7. See ad in another column of this paper.

### Card of Thanks.

I desire for myself and my little children, earnestly to thank the friends and neighbors in Clay City and the country for the willing help, the words of sympathy and kindly ministrations, so freely tendered and done when dear husband was called the other day so quickly from our happy home.

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### STANTON.

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that they have been raising corn now for fifty years and they know it all. They are like the boy in Alabama who asked his father for an acre of ground so that he might raise some corn according to government methods. The father was one of those old fashioned men who said that no one could tell him a thing about raising corn. He knew all there was to know. He raised 20 bushels of corn to the acre and that was good enough for him. He blustered around and did a lot of talking, but finally agreed to let his boy try it. He would show them that the government didn't know any more about his land and how to raise corn than he did. Well, to make a long story short the boy raised his acre of corn according to the latest and best method studied out by the government. When harvest time came the old fog farmer had his 29 bushels of corn, while the boy on the identical kind of land had 115 bushels, and had the soil been better he would have had nearly 200 bushels. One boy in North Carolina a few years ago by government methods and cultivation raised 229½ bushels of corn on one acre of ground. So we trust that every farmer in Powell county will call upon Mr. Harrison for help. He is here for you and it doesn't cost you anything to get him. He will sure show you how to grow more grain, better stock, improve your land and build up your farm in every way. But please wait till the writer can get him to show him how to grow a lot of \$3 potatoes in his garden this year.

### Stop Left Over Coughs.

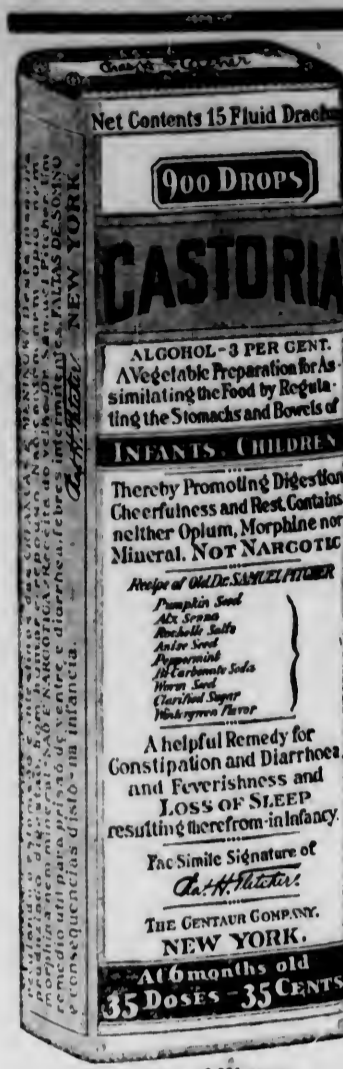
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